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Inspection of immigrants at Cienfuegos for the week ended October 5, 1901.

CIENFUEGOS, CUBA, October 7, 1901.

SIR: I herewith submit report of alien steerage passengers at this port during the week ended October 5, 1901: September 29, steamship *Ardanmhor*, from Cartagena, with 2 immigrants.

Respectfully,

E. F. Nunez,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H. S.

The Surgeon-General,

U.S. Marine-Hospital Service.

Report of immigrants inspected at the port of Cienfuegos, Cuba, during the month of September, 1901.

Total number of immigrants inspected, 22; number passed, 22.

E. F. Nunez,

Acting Assistant Surgeon, U.S. M. H.S.

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.

## Reports from Havana and Batabano.

HAVANA, CUBA, October 8, 1901.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following report of the transactions of the first quarantine division, island of Cuba, for the week ended October 5, 1901:

There were 3 cases of yellow fever, with no deaths, reported during the week. On October 1 Acting Assistant Surgeon Nunez wired from Cienfuegos that there was 1 case of yellow fever at Trinidad, which is a small city on the south coast of Cuba and is 9 miles distant inland from the port of entry, Casilda. The case was isolated and no further developments have occurred.

The disinfecting barge Susana left this harbor on September 28, in tow, for Nuevitas, Cuba, and arrived safely at the latter port on September 30. This vessel was purchased in Havana and was refitted and equipped with modern disinfecting machinery, this work being done by the station force. The Susana will make an efficient disinfecting barge, and with her arrival at Nuevitas the 5 quarantine districts in the island of Cuba are now supplied with modern floating disinfecting plants, thus affording at these ports the opportunity for rapid and thorough disinfection of vessels.

Acting Asst. Surg. F. E. Menocal, in charge at Triscornia detention camp, reports that 8 third-class passengers were given health certificates to Santiago de Cuba and left on the steamship *Mortera* October 5. The passengers were vaccinated, and their baggage, not having been exposed, was labeled inspected and passed.

Batabano.—Acting Asst. Surg. José M. Campos reports having inspected 4 vessels and issued 4 bills of health during the week. The monthly mortality statistics of Batabano and the port are inclosed.

I inclose the usual mortuary and other statistics for the week and the monthly report of the transactions of this station.

Respectfully,

A. H. GLENNAN,

Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.,

Chief Quarantine Officer for the Island of Cuba.

The Surgeon-General,

U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.